

Senate Resolution 1516

By: Senator Harbison of the 15th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Hardaway High School Academic Decathlon Team; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the Hardaway High School Academic Decathlon Team from Muscogee County  
3 won the first runner-up award in the Super Quiz Oral Relay event at the 2010 PAGE Georgia  
4 Academic Decathlon; and

5 WHEREAS, the two-day academic competition was held on February 26 and 27, 2010, at  
6 Berkmar High School in Gwinnett County; and

7 WHEREAS, more than 200 high school students from 23 high schools, representing 17  
8 districts, competed in this prestigious academic event; and

9 WHEREAS, teams of nine students represented their school and were tested in seven areas:  
10 economics, art, language and literature, mathematics, science, music, and Written Super  
11 Quiz; and

12 WHEREAS, during the Super Quiz Oral Relay, team members competed in a quiz bowl  
13 format, keying in answers to questions regarding this year's topic, the French Revolution,  
14 asked by moderator, WSB-TV-Channel 2 News Reporter Tom Jones; and

15 WHEREAS, the Hardaway High School Academic Decathlon Team was ably led by Coach  
16 Carmen Kimsey Morris, who was honored at the awards banquet for serving as a Georgia  
17 Academic Decathlon coach for ten years; and

18 WHEREAS, the scholastically superb team members were Mac Barron, Sarah Flatt, Chad  
19 Fry, Jonathan Henry, Daniel King, Samantha McCellan, Benjamin Merva, Ashley Lee, and  
20 Lucas Thompson; and

21 WHEREAS, these smart and gifted students have brought great honor to their school and  
22 community and their incredible performance is worthy of recognition.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
24 congratulate the Hardaway High School Academic Decathlon Team on winning the first  
25 runner-up award in the Super Quiz Oral Relay event at the 2010 PAGE Georgia Academic  
26 Decathlon.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
28 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Hardaway High School Academic  
29 Decathlon Team.